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SUBJECT: DIPLOMATIC TITLES - PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES

1. THE TITLES OF ATTACHE AND ASSISTANT ATTACHE ARE REQUESTED FOR MAJOR GEORGE J. ESCHENFELDER AND CAPTAIN CHARLES BELLIS, RESPECTIVELY, REGIONAL MARINE OFFICERS. BASIS FOR NEED IS OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS OF OFFICE WITH SUPERVISION OF NINETEEN MARINE DETACHMENTS WITH OVER ONE HUNDRED FIFTY MARINES REQUIRING LARGE AMOUNT OF TRAVEL FOR BOTH OFFICERS OVER ALL OF AFRICA. DIPLOMATIC STATUS WOULD EASE DIFFICULTY IN ACQUIRING VISAS ON SHORT NOTICE TO COUNTRIES SUCH AS SOMALIA, NIGERIA, MALI AND MALAGASY REPUBLIC. ALSO ENTRANCE INTO THESE COUNTRIES EVEN WITH VISAS CAN BE DIFFICULT UNLESS TRAVELER HAS DIPLOMATIC STATUS.

2. URGENT REPLY REQUESTED.

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